

Educational

DAVIDSON COLLEGE.

Davidson College will not open until Wednesday, September 18th. Matriculation offices open Monday and Tuesday. The delay in opening is principally because so large a number of the upper classes and faculty are at Plattsburg undergoing military training, at the request of the government, to assist in the military training of Davidson students the coming session. This Plattsburg Camp closes September 16th.



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The college is just in receipt of the following telegram from the War Department: "The President, Davidson College, Davidson, N. C. Your institution having satisfied the prescribed conditions, a unit of the Students' Army Training Corps will be established therein. By direction the Secretary of War an officer of the United States Army will be detailed to your institution at an early date and will upon arrival proceed with organization of your unit. Rifles, uniforms, overcoats and other equipment will be shipped to you soon upon the basis of figures already furnished by you."

Students eighteen years old and over must enlist and those under eighteen must enroll to secure this military training. Candidates for the ministry exempted by their draft boards can take this training and be discharged. Those who take this training and wish later to enlist in the navy and other branches of the service will doubtless be permitted to do so, as I am informed by the authorities at Washington. Students taking this training should not provide any winter wardrobe of outer clothing.

The thoroughness of work will not be abated, and all will be done under Davidson's well known Christian influence. Students succeeding in class and drill and manifesting the proper spirit will be further trained in Officers' Training Camp.

The government will certainly protect all students who give promise of good work and keep them in college until properly trained. If the draft age is lowered it is at once the best method of becoming an officer and getting a college education. It ought to bring tens of thousands of young men into those colleges where these units are established, and it ought to more than fill the dormitories of Davidson College.

It is a time to make sacrifices, heroic if necessary, by young men and for young men to get such training as Davidson offers.

Wm. J. Martin, LL. D.,
President.

Summer address, Montreat, N. C.

NACOOCHEE SUMMER ACTIVITIES.

Although school closed early in June, Nacoochee has been very much alive during the summer, our vacation household numbering at least fifty in

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the dormitory, besides several faculty families in the cottages. The management was obliged to refuse to take boarding guests this year as the house has been pretty well filled with students, teachers and such patrons as come from time to time during vacation to enter their children. Four new students from the vicinity of New Hope church have been registered during the past week, and a party of nine motored up from Comer a few days ago to see the school with a view to entering students. These young people are especially welcome as the Board of Directors, at their annual meeting in June, very strongly urged that increased efforts be made to fill the dormitories with boys and girls from the country communities throughout Synod, so that the school, being a Synodical institution, may reach and serve the people of every Presbytery.

Through the generosity of friends of the school a Missionary Ford has been bought, and Mr. Ed. Clyde, an old Nacoochee student, now in Richmond Theological Seminary, is making a canvass of Augusta and Athens Presbyteries in the interest of the school.

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Military Training at Davidson

Delayed Opening of the College

Davidson College will not open until Wednesday, September 18th. This is due to the fact that so many students and faculty members are, at the request of the War Department, in training at the Plattsburg Camp to assist the army officer this session and will not be released until September 16th.

The College is in receipt of a telegram from the War Department that the order has been given to establish a Students' Army Training Corps Unit at Davidson. A United States army officer will be detailed to give instruction, and rifles, uniforms, overcoats and other equipment will be shipped at once.

Students who mean business, whether over a lowered draft age or not, will have opportunity to continue their college training just as West Point cadets do. Those who desire can choose navy, etc., instead of army service.

Write for catalogue to Registrar for information about fees, rooms, board, etc., to Mr. F. L. Jackson, Davidson, N. C. For other information, to

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(Summer Address)

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